

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA : Hon. Peter G. Sheridan
 : Crim. No. 10-41
 v. :
 : CONTINUANCE ORDER
 FRANCO DELGADO :

This matter having come before the Court on the joint application of Paul J. Fishman, United States Attorney for the District of New Jersey (by Christine Magdo, Assistant U.S. Attorney), and defendant Franco Delgado (by Linda Foster, Assistant Federal Public Defender) for an order granting a continuance of the proceedings in the above-captioned matter, and the defendant being aware that he has a right to have the matter brought to trial within 70 days of the date of his appearance before a judicial officer of this court pursuant to Title 18 of the United States Code, Section 3161(c)(1), and as the defendant has consented to an additional continuance, and for good and sufficient cause shown,

IT IS THE FINDING OF THIS COURT that this action should be continued for the following reasons:

1. Plea negotiations are currently in progress, and both the United States and the defendant desire additional time

to finalize a plea agreement, which would render trial of this matter unnecessary;

2. Defendant has consented to the aforementioned continuance; and

3. Pursuant to Title 18 of the United States Code, Section 3161(h)(7), the ends of justice served by granting the continuance outweigh the best interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial.

WHEREFORE, on this 2nd day of March, 2010,

IT IS ORDERED that defense motions shall be filed by March 29, 2010, the government's reply shall be filed by April 12, 2010, the motions are returnable on April 19, 2010, and the trial is scheduled for May 3, 2010; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the period from April 1, 2010, through May 3, 2010, shall be excludable in computing time under the Speedy Trial Act of 1974, pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 3161(h)(7).



HON. PETER G. SHERIDAN
United States District Judge